What is mutual aid?

Mutual aid works in concert with social movements to address the needs of our communities while simultaneously changing the structures and systems that disenfranchise and oppress our communities to begin with.

Who are we?

- Student leaders from various movements and identities on campus
- Students who have experienced first hand the barriers that Clark University has put in place for their students experiencing financial hardship, and class-privileged allies

Our Efforts

Monetary Support: We operate an anonymous centralized fund that provides low-income students with the opportunity to seek support and be respected while doing so.

Non-Monetary Support: We have a Facebook group where we invite members of the Clark community to connect and offer non-monetary mutual aid.

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THE SEE YOU COLLECTIVE

Student Run Mutual Aid Organization

The objective of this fund is to provide students with assistance ranging from costs of attendance, housing, food, COVID-related supplies, clothing/other gender-affirming items and other basic necessities.

The goal is to help low-income students gain access to resources and funds not provided by Clark University or local, state and national governments.

Student voices and experiences are at the center of our work!

"I am unemployed and not able to pay monthly rent in off-campus apartments ... This situation is extremely stressful for me and my parent to figure out."
- Class of 2022

"I do not have the money to pay the bill. I contacted financial aid office and they won't allow me to pay the rest the spring semester. I have been freaking out because I can't pay."
- Undergraduate student

Where will your donations go?

$20 = one month of hygiene products
$50 = one month of internet
$100 = two weeks of groceries
$150 = one semester worth of books
$250 = one domestic flight to MA
$500 = one month of rent
$2000 = average ask for tuition

DONATE NOW!

Donate via Venmo or Givebutter. Use the QR codes below to access these platforms! You can set up reoccuring donations via GiveButter too.

Venmo

GiveButter

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Some milestones!

- June 2020 - Clark University Fair Aid Campaign started to bring light to the experiences of low-income students on campus
- Jan 2021 - Tuition Strike started in support of the Black Student Union's demands and efforts to make Clark more affordable
- Feb 2021 - See You Collective launched
- March 2021 - over $10,000 raised

Current stats

- Total raised: $20,543.22
- 508 donations
- Total distributed: $17,754.59
- 49 requests fulfilled
- Average aid amount: $362
- Most common requests: housing (20), books & other school supplies (10), tuition & related fees (10), food (8)